

the more slender *mauritii*, and the same applies to the emergence of the imago.

Dr. Shapiro will see from my reply to Dr. Luckens' "Cruciferae enough for all" (1974, *Ent. Rec.*, **86**:71-72), of which the publication has been delayed by the *Record's* printing troubles, that I do not agree with his concept, and I still maintain that a careful examination of all factors would almost certainly provide a clue to the change in the Argynnid population of Dr. Luckens' wood, which started the argument, and also the increase in the introduced *Papilio andaemon* Hübn. at the expense of other *Papilio* species in Jamaica.

It will be interesting to see what effect the recent colonisation of Australia by *Danaus plexippus* L. has on the indigenous *Danaus* species.

Notes and Observations

CALAMOTROPHA PALUDELLA HUBNER (LEP.: PYRALIDAE) IN SURREY. — On 17th-18th July I had in my light trap an example of this species: I nearly missed it because, with its forewings folded tightly over its pure white hindwings, it was exactly the same colour as the egg tray on which it rested. I know of no published record of this very local marsh species in Surrey, but Mr. J. L. Messenger kindly allows me to record now his capture of one near the Thames at Weybridge on 6th July 1952. Any further news of the species in Surrey would be welcome; it could be easily overlooked as the Wainscot *Chilodes maritimus* Tauscher. The larva is known to feed and to pupate in stems of the bulrush, of which there are scattered patches in ponds and in a disused canal near my house; but I have still to locate it. — R. F. BRETHERTON, Folly Hill, Birtley Green, Bramley, Guildford, Surrey GU5 0LE, 9.8.75.

ANOTHER HEMARIS FUCIFORMIS LINN. IN HANTS. — I reported the occurrence of *H. fuciformis* at Linwood, Hants. in 1972 and 1973 (*Ent. Rec.*, **85**: 203). *The Butterflies and Moths of Hampshire and the Isle of Wight* (Goater, 1974) records that this species was "formerly common to very common in the New Forest rides, etc." but that a decline began in the 1940s and the only other record received was from Appleslade (which is only a mile from Linwood) in 1953. I am happy to report that on 12th July 1975, Mr. Adrian Butterworth showed me a half-grown larva which was found on honeysuckle in his garden at Brockenhurst. Is it too much to hope that this rarity is still around elsewhere in the Forest? — L. W. SIGGS, Sungate, Football Green, Minstead, Lyndhurst, Hants.

A SECOND BROOD OF CUPIDO MINIMUS FUESSLY IN 1975. — A second brood of the Small Blue has been in flight here in East Sussex during the latter days of July. First noted on 26th July, the butterflies are in good numbers and quite full sized. — COLIN PRATT, Oleander, 5 View Road, Peacehaven, Newhaven, Sussex, 3.viii.1975.